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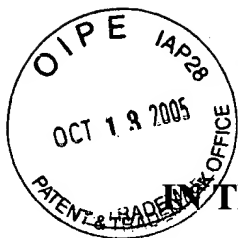
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Honorable Sir:

This is a reply to the final Office Action dated August 11, 2005 regarding the above-identified patent application.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.